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10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
11 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

12 **DAVID MICHAEL LEON,**

13 Petitioner,

14 v.

15 **JAMES A. YATES, Warden,**

16 Respondent.
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C07-5719 CRB

**APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE TO
PETITION FOR WRIT OF
HABEAS CORPUS**

18 Pursuant to Civil L.R. 6-3 and Habeas L.R. 2254-6, respondent hereby requests a 62-day
19 extension of time until Monday, May 19, 2008, in which to file a response to the petition for writ
20 of habeas corpus. Good cause for the extension is set forth in the accompanying declaration of
21 counsel. I have spoken with opposing counsel, and she had no objection to this request.

22 WHEREFORE, respondent respectfully requests that this Court grant an extension of time
23 to and including May 19, 2008, in which to file an answer or other responsive pleading.
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1 Dated: March 11, 2008

2 Respectfully submitted,

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